

REMARKS

Applicant thanks the Examiner for allowing claims 1 through 35. As suggested by the Examiner, Applicant has corrected paragraph [0011] beginning on page 3 and paragraph [0023] beginning on page 8. In addition, the Applicant has amended claims 11 and 24 to render the Examiner's objection of otherwise allowable claims 11 and 24 moot.

Although it is believed that no fee is due for the filing of this Amendment, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2789 for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayments regarding this Amendment. Further and favorable reconsideration of the outstanding Office Action is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this **Amendment** for United States Patent Application Serial Number **10/723,098** filed **November 26, 2003** is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on **February 6, 2006**.



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